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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 18 February 2003 (Paper No. 12), the period for reply to which has been extended to 19 July 2004, by a petition for a two-month extension of time filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application as follows.